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Method for Blocking Denial of Service and Address Spoofing

Attacks on a Private Network

Mail Stop AF

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action mailed electronically March 4, 2008 and the Advisory Action mailed electronically May 29, 2008 rejecting pending Claims 1-33.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$510.00 for filing this Notice of Appeal to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P. A one-month Notice of Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith. The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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